# Indiana Civil Rights Commission AGENCY MONTHLY REPORT SEPTEMBER 2011



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## Intake

The Intake section of the report shows the number of phone, web and/or mail inquiries received from the public. It also shows the number of jurisdictional complaints drafted and mailed. The number of signed complaints received for investigation is also reported.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year to
Total Number of Inquiries	2011 178	2011 172	2011 244	2011	2011 289	2011 314	2011 412	2011 425	2011 300	2011	2011	2011	2578
Number of Complaints Drafted	18	26	54	41	70	73	80	83	51				496
			22.1%			23.2%							
% of inquiries drafted	10.1%	15.1%		17.0%	24.2%		19.4%	19.5%	17%				19%
Employment	12	16	37	33	44	50	48	54	35				329
Real Estate	2	2	7	2	10	15	7	9	5				59
Public Accommodation	0	1	4	0	7	6	5	2	5				30
Credit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Education	1	1	0	1	2	2	2	1	0				10
Unknown	3	6	6	5	7	0	18	17	0				62
Number of Complaints Formalized	49	43	59	34	82	73	103	118	78				639
Employment	33	31	38	29	51	50	85	86	51				454
Transferred from EEOC*						1	34	16	9				60
Real Estate	11	10	11	3	17	15	9	22	18				116
Transferred from HUD**							2	7	6				15
Public Accommodation	3	0	6	2	10	6	8	8	6				49
Credit	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0				1
Education	2	2	4	0	3	2	1	2	3				19

<sup>\*</sup>EEOC sends cases to ICRC pursuant of the Deferral Program. These transfers are included in the total # of EEOC complaints formalized.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Reflects cases retrieved from Teapots. These transfers are included in the total # of HUD complaints formalized.

## Inquiries by Region

This section provides a breakdown of the inquiries received by each region.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year to
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	Date
Total Number of Inquiries by Region								427	300				727
Region1								41	34				75
Region 2								38	33				71
Region 3								29	19				48
Region 4								22	14				36
Region 5								134	94				228
Region 6								28	26				54
Region 7								15	14				29
Region 8								22	17				39
Region 9								19	8				27
Unknown								79	41				120

Region 1: Jasper, Lake, LaPorte, Newton, Porter, Pulaski and Starke

Region 2: St. Joseph, Elkhart, Marshall, Fulton, Kosciusko, Wabash, Cass and Miami

Region 3: LaGrange, Steuben, Noble, Dekalb, Whitley, Allen, Huntington, Wells and Adams

Region 4: White, Benton, Warren, Tippecanoe, Carroll, Clinton, Fountain and Montgomery

Region 5: Boone, Hamilton, Hendricks, Marion, Hancock, Morgan, Johnson and Shelby

Region 6: Howard, Grant, Blackford, Jay, Tipton, Madison, Delaware, Randolph, Henry, Wayne, Rush, Fayette, Union and Franklin

Region 7: Vermillion, Parke, Putnam, Vigo, Clay, Owen, Sullivan, Greene and Monroe

Region 8: Knox, Daviess, Martin, Lawrence, Gibson, Pike, Dubois, Orange, Crawford, Posey, Vanderburgh, Warrick, Spencer and Perry

**Region 9**: Brown, Bartholomew, Clark, Dearborn, Decatur, Floyd, Franklin, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Ohio, Ripley, Scott, Switzerland and Washington

**Unknown**: If the location of the inquiry cannot be identified.

# Investigation

The Investigation section shows the overall age of cases currently being investigated by the agency. Cases over 100 days in Real Estate or 180 days in all other cases could be in the Legal Department pending a decision. (Aged is >100 days in Real Estate and >180 days in all other cases).

	Jan 2011	Feb 2011	Mar 2011	Apr 2011	May 2011	June 2011	July 2011	Aug 2011	Sept 2011	Oct 2011	Nov 2011	Dec 2011	Year to Date
% of Aged Cases by Area													
Employment					34%	40.2%	22.4%	13.6%	11.2%				24.2%
Real Estate					0%	0%	7%	0	0				2.3%
Public Accommodation					7%	8%	13%	6%	6%				8.0%
Credit					0%	0%	0%	0%	0%				0%
Education					20%	20%	31%	18%	18%				21.4%
Open Cases by Area													
Employment	233	227	230	225	249	256	243	256	289				2208
Real Estate	38	34	40	34	37	32	39	53	60				367
Public Accommodation	34	24	16	18	26	31	27	39	41				256
Credit	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0				4
Education	25	22	20	19	18	22	22	17	21				186

## Closures

The Closure section indicates the number of cases closed and how the case was closed after a complete investigation. NPC = No Probable Cause, CWS = Closed with Settlement (Mediation Agreement), CW = Closed Withdrawal, AD = Administrative Dismissal (Lack of Jurisdiction, Failure to Cooperate/Locate), FO = Final Order.

	Jan 2011	Feb 2011	Mar 2011	Apr 2011	May 2011	June 2011	July 2011	Aug 2011	Sept 2011	Oct 2011	Nov 2011	Dec 2011	Year to Date
Number of Cases Closed	65	48	45	44	27	59	82	82	28				480
Employment	26	27	28	29	18	39	78	57	13				315
Real Estate	12	10	5	11	8	19	3	11	12				91
Public Accommodation	12	7	8	2	2	1	0	7	3				42
Education	14	4	4	2	2	0	1	6	0				33
Credit	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0				2
Type of Closure													
NPC	52	40	41	34	23	36	70	72	17				385
CWS	6	4	0	4	3	7	4	2	3				33
CW	7	0	2	1	1	4	3	5	0				23
AD	0	2	0	2	0	3	0	3	4				14
FO	0	2	2	3	0	9	5	0	2				23

# Legal

The Legal section tracks cases receiving probable/reasonable cause, as well as provides information on active cases being handled by the Legal Department.

	Jan 2011	Feb 2011	Mar 2011	Apr 2011	May 2011	June 2011	July 2011	Aug 2011	Sept 2011	Oct 2011	Nov 2011	Dec 2011	Year to Date
Probable/Reasonable Cause Findings	6	0	6	2	2	3	4	5	3				31
Employment	5	0	2	2	2	1	4	4	0				20
Real Estate	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	2				6
Public Accommodation	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				2
Education	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1				3
Credit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Active Cases							38	41	44				123
Employment							20	23	24				67
Real Estate							8	8	11				27
Public Accommodation							4	4	4				12
Education							6	6	7				19
Credit							0	0	0				0
Average Age of Cases since NOF*													

<sup>\*</sup>NOF (Notice of Finding). This includes cases that are now pending in state court.

### Probable Cause Findings for the current month

This section provides detailed information on probable cause findings.

Ladd v. Partners in Housing Development Corporation & The Orleans is a housing case based on disability. Complainant alleged that Respondent denied her reasonable accommodation request.

Glover v. Stallard & Associates, Inc. is a housing case based on disability. Complainant alleged that Respondent denied her reasonable accommodation request.

Martin v. Law School Admission Council is a education case based on disability. Complainant alleged that Respondent denied his reasonable accommodation request.

#### **Final Orders**

This section provides information on cases that receive Final Orders by The Commission.

Brothers v. Golden Egg Pancake House is an employment case based on sexual harassment. The case was settled after a Probable Cause finding.

#### **Legal Updates**

This section provides information on legal news, passing or changes in law and other state and local laws affecting The Commission. Indiana School Imposes Extreme Sex-Segregation (09/15/2011—FMF News Feed)

http://feminist.org/blog/index.php/2011/09/15/indiana-school-imposes-extreme-sex-segregation/